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1. PCT International Application Publication No. WO 00/61631 (Veale et al.) published October 19, 2000 (**Exhibit 1**);
2. Jaubert et al. Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA 96:10278-10283 (1999) (**Exhibit 2**); and
3. Matsukawa, et al., Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA 96:7403-7408 (1999) (**Exhibit 3**).

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